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James Grady's SIX DAYS OF THE CONDOR (Norton, \$5.95), a first novel, is just plain dreadful. It has to do with a C.I.A. man whose office is wiped out. He, an innocent, goes into hiding and, helped by a girl, comes through even though professional assassins are after him—these amateurs who survive the attacks of trained killers! Nowhere are they believable, especially here in Grady's labored, childlike prose.